DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage, of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort) ...		Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi	Not received.	
Rangoon rice (2nd sort) ...		

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Markets are moderately supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Winnowing is going on in a few places. Lands are being prepared for sowing purposes in parts of Nelamangala and Magadi Taluks.

Seeds sown.—Sugar-cane in parts of Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks.

State of standing crops.—Standing crops are reported to be in good condition.

Damages to crops.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in parts of all the taluks. Ragi in parts of Bangalore, Dodballapur, Nelamangala Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk.

Estimated outturn of crops.—Sugare-cane—Bangalore, 4 to 12 annas; Hoskote, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli and Magadi Taluks, 8 annas; and Anekal Taluk, 4 to 8 annas.

Ragi.—Bangalore Taluk 1 to 2 annas; Nelamangala Taluk 2 to 4 annas.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Good. Food stuffs are available, but prices rule high. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of Bangalore, Hoskote, Nelamangala, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks and small-pox in parts of Nelamangala, Magadi and Channapatna Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk. There were also cases of plague in Bangalore City.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except for Dodroga in parts of Bangalore, Dodballapur and Channapatna Taluks and Rinderpest in Closepet Sub-Taluk. Intimation has been given to the Veterinary Superintendent. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Markets are moderately supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—*Sugar-cane* in all the taluks. *Vaisakhi paddy* in parts of the Goribidnur Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn. Sugar-cane in all the taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas; *jola* in parts of the Bagepalli and Goribidnur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 4 to 8 annas.

Standing crops.—Fair.

Distress.—Not reported.

Food stocks.—Reported to meet the demand.

Water-supply.—Sufficient till now.

Fodder.—Available in very limited quantities.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Prices of food grains are high. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Public health is generally good, except for *Plague* in parts of the Kolar, Bowringpet, Chikballapur and Srinivaspur Taluks. *Small-pox* prevails in parts of the Kolar, Mulbagal and Bowringpet Taluks.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except for *Rinderpest* in parts of the Bowringpet, Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli, Goribidnur and Srinivaspur Taluks. Pasture not sufficient. Fodder and water available at present.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are moderately supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Sugar-cane in parts of Tumkur Taluk and Koratagere Sub-Taluk; paddy in parts of Tiptur and Kunigal Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in parts of Tumkur Taluk, yield 8 annas; Sugar-cane in parts of Tumkur, Maddagiri and Kunigal Taluks and Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas; jola in parts of Maddagiri, Sira, Tiptur and Pavagada Taluks and and Koratagere Sub-Taluk, yield 4 to 8 annas; kadle in parts of Sira, Tiptur and Pavagada Taluks, yield 4 to 8 annas; chillies in parts of Maddagiri Taluk, yield 4 annas; cotton, Natiragi and castor in parts of Sira Taluk, yield 4 to 8 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane, jola, chillies, kadle, turmeric, cotton, Natiragi, castor, wheat and cucumber are reported to be in fair condition.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Supply to markets is said to be adequate in all xcept Maddagiri Taluk and Koratagere Sub-Taluk.

11. Except for small-pox in parts of Tiptur Town, and Pavagada Taluk, the public ealth is reported to be good.

12. Except for rinderpest in parts of Tiptur and Pavagada Taluks, it is reported that ittle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Market not well supplied especially in the taluks of Mysore, Seringapatam, Hunsur, edatore, Heggaddevankote and Nagamangala.

9. *Crops harvested and their outturn.*—Sugar-cane in parts of Chamrajnagar (8 to 12 annas); Gundlupet (8 annas); Mandya and Nagamangala Taluks; jola in parts of Chamrajnagar and Mysore Taluks; ragi in Nagamangala Taluk.

State of the standing crops.—The standing crops are castor, cotton, sugar-cane, mulberry, paddy and jola; except paddy in Chamrajnagar Taluk the other crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Black and green grams in Seringapatam Taluk.

Agricultural operations.—Lands are being ploughed and kept ready for sowing Mungar crops in the taluks of Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Hunsur, Yedatore, Heggaddevankote, transplantatoin of paddy is going on in the taluks of Krishnarajpete and Nagamangala.

Damage done to crops.—No damage done to crops by insects during the week.

10. Prospects of the season are favourable. Food stuffs are available only in limited uantities. Prices of food grains rule high.

11. Plague prevails in parts of the taluks of Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Heggaddevankote, Gundlupet and T.-Narsipur; small-pox in the taluks of Heggaddevankote, T.-Narsipur, Malvalli, Krishnarajpete and Nagamangala.

12. Doddaroga is reported to exist in parts of the taluks of Malvalli, Mysore, Gundlupet nd T.-Narsipur. Fodder is available. Water is reported to be not sufficiently available in othathi hobli of Mandya Taluk. The Amildar has been asked to report the steps taken to emove the difficulty, if any.

HASSAN.

8. *Markets.*—Fairly supplied except in Hassan, Belur and Hole-Narsipur, where the upply is reported to be insufficient.

9. *Standing crops.*—Sugar-cane and kar paddy in Hassan, Belur and Arsikere Taluks; ugar-cane in the Channarayapatna Taluk; kar paddy in Hole-Narsipur Taluk are reported to e in good condition. The Amildar of Hassan states that under small kattes kar paddy crop s withering for want of water.

Crops harvested.—Manjarabad Taluk, paddy, coffee and cardamom, 8 annas; Hole-Narsipur, Taluk, paddy under channels, 8 to 12 annas; dodda ragi, 4 annas; and other grains, 12 annas.

Agricultural operations.—Lands are being ploughed in parts of Hassan Taluk and Alur Sub-Taluk. Lands are being ploughed and prepared for sowing kar ragi under South Channel of Srirama, Devar Dam in Hole-Narsipur Taluk and transplantation of kar paddy is going on in parts of Channarayapatna Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. No unusual movements of either men or cattle re reported.

11. Public health is generally good, except for small-pox in parts of Hassan, Manjarabad, Arkalgud and Belur Taluks and for small-pax and plague in parts of Arsikere Taluk and Alur Sub-Taluk.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are moderately supplied. Ragi is not available in the markets freely.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in Tirthahalli Taluk.

Seeds sown.—Planting of sugar-cane is going on in Nagar, Tirthahalli Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane in Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur, and Kumsi; cotton in Channagiri and kar paddy in parts of Sagar and Nagar Taluks are reported to be in fair condition.

Crops harvested.—Bengal gram and Yennegar jola in Shimoga Taluk. Milling of sugar-cane is going on in parts of Shimoga, Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar Taluks and in Kumsi Sub-taluk. The yield of sugar-cane in Shimoga and Shikarpur Taluks is 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are not very favourable. Food stuffs are available in moderate quantities, but prices continue to be high. Ragi is not available to meet the local requirements of the district. Rangoon rice is being sold at 5 seers per rupee.

11. Except for plague in a few villages of Shikarpur, Honnali, Tirthahalli Taluks and in Sagar Town and small-pox in parts of Tirthahalli Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Except for rinderpest in Horabylu village of Sorab Taluk and Pwrathamana village in Nagar Taluk cattle are reported to be healthy. Fodder and water are available in limited quantities. Fodder is being imported from Malnad to Maidan parts of the district.

KADUR.

8. Markets are supplied in limited quantities.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being prepared for sowing purposes in parts of Koppa and Mudgere Taluks and Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk.

Crops sown.—Mudgere, kode paddy, Narasimharajapur, sugar-cane.

Standing crops.—Chikmagalur and Tarikere, sugar-cane and kode paddy; Koppa, paddy; Mudgere, sagar-cane and pepper.

The standing crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Chikmagalur—sugar-cane and cotton, yield 8 and 12 annas; Tarikere—sugar-cane, yield 4 to 8 annas; Kadur—wheat, cholum and sugar-cane, yield 8 to 12 annas; Koppa—sugar-cane and pepper, yield 6 to 15 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs were available in limited quantities, but their prices continued to be very high.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Chikmagalur Taluk and Sringeri Town and small-pox in parts of the Koppa, Mudgere and Kadur Taluks and Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were moderately supplied in all the taluks, except Holalkere. It is reported that no ragi and jola were supplied to the market at Holalkere and Chitaldrug.

9 *Standing crops.*—Paddy, sugar-cane, cotton and wheat are reported to be in fair condition.

Seeds sown.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Bili jola and sugar-cane in the Chitaldrug Taluk (yield 4 to 8 annas), cotton, castor and wheat in the Challakere Taluk (yield 4 annas); Benga gram, wheat and jola Hiriyur Taluk, (yield 6 to 8 annas); bili jola and cotton in the Holalkere Taluk (yield 4 annas); bili jola, wheat, cotton in the Molakalmuru Taluk (yield 4 to 12 annas); bili jola and Bengal gram in the Jagalur Taluk (yield 4 to 6 annas) bili jola, Bengal gram, cotton, castor, and chillies in the Hosdurga Taluk (yield 4 to 6 annas) cotton in the Harihar Sub-Taluk (yield 4 to 8 annas).

10. Prospects of the season are not very assuring. Cooly classes are finding sufficient labour. Food stuffs are available, but in limited quantities.

11. Public health is reported to be generally good, except for (plague) in the Jagalur town and in the village of Sakkra in the Hiriyur Taluk.

12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for "Charmaroga" in the villages of Bhattarahalli of the Molakalmuru Taluk. Water is available for the present, throughout the district. Fodder is getting scarce.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
Dated Bangalore, 1st April 1919.

K. R. SRINIVASIENGAR,
Revenue Commissioner.

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF CIVIL SUPPLIES, BANGALORE.

Dated 31st March 1919.

Statement showing the quantity of kerosene oil allotted to, received and distributed by the various Sub-Agencies in the State for the week ending Saturday the 22nd March 1919.

Stations	Quantity allotted for the week in units of 2 tins		Balance of stock at the end of the last week in units of 2 tins		Quantity received during the week in units of 2 tins		Quantity distributed during the week in units of 2 tins		Balance of stock at the end of the week in units of 2 tins		Remarks
	White oil units	Red oil units	White oil units	Red oil units	White oil units	Red oil units	White oil units	Red oil units	White oil units	Red oil units	
Asiatic Petroleum Company.											
Bangalore	400	288	...	...	400	288	253	288	147	...	
Mysore	175	175	528	230⅙	...	...	110½	147½	417½	83	
Nanjangud	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Bowringpet	116	90	268	328	...	...	116	90	152	238	
				Bulk				Bulk		Bulk	
Arsikere	115	76	...	650½	...	...	...	76	...	574½	
Birur and Shimoga ...	87	30	59½	190½	...	...	59½	22	...	168½	
	28	10	...	35	...	...	...	10	...	25	
Davangere	54	38	...	52½	...	...	...	...	...	52½	
Burma Oil Company.											
Bangalore and Tumkur ...	302	110	...	...	657	75	657	75	...	...	
	31	42	...	...	31	42	31	42	...	...	
Mysore	335	503	...	70	800	300	655	370	145	...	
Bowringpet	277	56	1,021	149	...	...	277	56	744	93	
Arsikere	30	30	...	80	...	...	...	30	...	50	
Birur and Shimoga ...	90	45	...	183	...	...	...	45	...	143	
Davangere	75	35	...	66	...	...	...	35	...	31	
Indo-Burma Oil Company.											
Tumkur	...	...	...	...	136	416	86	228	50	188	
Arsikere	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Davangere	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Birur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Standard Oil Company.											
Davangere	...	...	Snow flake 1 Monkey 2	...	...	...	Snow flake 1 Monkey 2	...	...	...	

B. MUDDUKRISHNAPPA,
For *Director of Civil Supplies.*